It was proposed to introduce a Bill to effect a number of amendments to the Mysore Land Revenue Act. 1964. But the Bill could not be finalised before the close of the last Session of the State Legislature. A few of the amendments proposed required to be given effect to immediately to provide urgently needed relief to the landholders in respect of assessment and cesses recoverable from them. Hence an Ordinance was issued for that purposes. The present Bill is meant to replace the Ordinance and thereby continue the enforcement of the amendments.

N. HUTCHAMASTHY GOWDA

Te. HANUMANTHAPPA,
Secretary.

ANNEXURE--B

THE MYSORE COMPULSORY PRIMARY EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1973.

(L. A. BILL NO. 44 OF 1973)

A BILL FURTHER TO AMEND THE MYSORE COMPULSORY PRIMARY EDUCATION ACT, 1961.

Whereas it is expedient further to amend the Mysore Compulsory Primary Education Act. 1961 (Mysore Act 9 of 1961) :

Be it enacted by the Mysore State Legislature in the Twenty-fourth year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. SHORT TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT.—(1) This Act may be called the Mysore Compulsory Primary Education Amendment) Act, 1973.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 21st day of May 1969.

2. INSERTION OF NEW SECTION 17A.—After Section 17 of the Mysore Compulsory Primary Education Act, 1961) (Mysore Act 9 of 1961). the following Section shall be

inserted, namely :—

"17A. LOCAL AUTHORITIES ENTITLED TO COST OF COLLECTION OF EDUCATION CESS.—where the education cess under this Act is recovered by a local authority, such local authority shall be entitled to deduct ten per cent of the amount recovered as the cost of collection and the balance shall be paid to the State Government."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Mysore Compulsory Primary Education Act, 1961 does not contain any provision which enables a local authority to retain the deduction of collection charges from out of the amount of education cess recovered. It is considered necessary that provision should be made enabling local authorities to retain ten per cent of education cess recovered as collection charges.

Hence this Bill

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New Section 17-A of the Act proposed to be inserted by clause 2 of the Bill entitles the local authority which collects the education cess to retain ten per cent of the collection towards cost of collection. Due to introduction of this Section, the State Government will have to forgo nearly a recurring sum of Rs. 4.70 lakhs per annum from the Consolidated Fund of the State.

A. R. BADARINARAYANA,

Te. HANUMANTHAPPA,
Secretary